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CLAIMS:

What is claimed is:

1. A method of identifying a test agent that modulates at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule depolymerization, microtubule polymerization and microtubule severing, said method comprising the steps of: (i) contacting a polymerized microtubule with at least one protein selected from the group consisting of a microtubule severing protein and a microtubule depolymerizing protein, in the presence of ATP or GTP, and said test agent; and (ii) detecting the formation of at least one product selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, dimers and oligomers, wherein the formation of said tubulin monomers, dimers, or oligomers indicates that said test agent modulates microtubule depolymerization.
2. The method of claim 1, wherein said polymerized microtubule is labeled with 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).
3. The method of claim 1, wherein said detecting is by fluorescent resonance energy transfer (FRET).
4. The method of claim 2, wherein said detecting, comprising detecting a change in fluorescence of said labeled microtubule.
5. The method of claim 1, wherein said detecting comprises centrifuging said tubulin monomers if present.
6. The method of claim 1, wherein said microtubules are stabilized by contact with an agent selected from the group consisting of paclitaxel, a paclitaxel analogue, and a non-hydrolyzable nucleotide GTP analogue.
7. The method of claim 1, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid

surface.

8. The method of claim 7, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with an agent selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), and a polylysine.

9. The method of claim 1, wherein said microtubule severing protein or microtubule depolymerizing protein is selected from the group consisting of katanin polypeptide, p60 subunit of katanin polypeptide, Xenopus kinesin central motor 1 (XKCM1) polypeptide, and stathmin (OP18) polypeptide.

10. The method of claim 9, wherein said microtubule severing protein is katanin polypeptide or p60 subunit of katanin polypeptide.

11. The method of claim 10, wherein said p60 subunit of a katanin is a polypeptide having microtubule severing activity, wherein said polypeptide comprises an isolated p60 subunit of katanin, and wherein said p60 subunit is encoded by a nucleic acid that hybridizes with a nucleic acid encoding the amino acid of SEQ ID NO:1, when incubated at 42.degree. C. overnight in 50% formamide.

12. The method of claim 10, wherein said p60 subunit is a polypeptide having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

13. The method of claim 1, wherein said method is performed in an array where said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures, each reaction mixture comprising a distinct and distinguishable domain of said array, and wherein said steps are performed in each reaction mixture.

14. The method of claim 13, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

15. The method of claim 13, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

16. The method of claim 13, wherein said test agent is one of a plurality of test agents and wherein each reaction mixture comprises one test agent of said plurality of test agents.

17. A method of identifying a therapeutic lead compound that modulates at least one activity selected from the group consisting of depolymerization, polymerization, and severing of a microtubule system, said method comprising the steps of: i) providing an assay mixture comprising a katanin p60 subunit and a microtubule; ii) contacting said assay mixture with a test agent to be screened for the ability to inhibit or enhance the microtubule severing or ATPase activity of said p60 subunit; and iii) detecting at least one of specific binding of said test compound to said p60 subunit and a change in the ATPase activity of said p60 subunit.

18. The method of claim 17, wherein said detecting comprises detecting ATPase activity utilizing malachite green as a detection reagent.

19. The method of claim 17, wherein said p60 subunit is labeled and said test agent is attached to a solid support.

20. The method of claim 17, wherein said test agent is labeled and said p60 subunit is attached to a solid support.

21. The method of claim 17, wherein said microtubules are stabilized by contact with an agent selected from the group consisting of paclitaxel, a paclitaxel analogue, and a non-hydrolyzable nucleotide GTP analogue.

22. The method of claim 17, wherein said method is performed in an array where said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures, each reaction mixture comprising a distinct and distinguishable domain of said array, and wherein said steps are performed in each reaction mixture.

23. The method of claim 22, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

24. The method of claim 22, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

25. The method of claim 22, wherein said test agent comprises one of a plurality of test agents and wherein each reaction mixture comprises one test agent of said plurality of test agents.

26. A method of screening for a test agent that alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing, said method comprising: a) providing: i) labeled tubulin, ii) an isolated polypeptide having at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization activity, microtubule depolymerization activity, and microtubule severing activity, said polypeptide comprising a katanin p60 subunit, and iii) a test agent; b) contacting said labeled tubulin with said isolated polypeptide and with said test agent to produce contacted tubulin; and c) comparing the fluorescence intensity or pattern of said contacted tubulin with the fluorescence intensity or pattern of labeled tubulin that is not contacted with said polypeptide and said test agent, wherein a difference in fluorescence pattern or intensity between the contacted and the not contacted tubulin indicates that said test agent alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing.

27. The method of claim 26, wherein said labeled tubulin is in at least one form selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, tubulin dimers, and tubulin oligomers.

28. The method of claim 26, wherein said labeled tubulin is in the form of a microtubule.

29. The method of claim 28, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid surface.

30. The method of claim 29, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with a molecule selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), a polyarginine, a polyhistidine, and a polylysine.

31. The method of claim 28, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is selected from the group consisting of 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI), anilidonaphthalene sulfonate (ANS), bis-ANS (Bis-anilidonaphthalene sulfonate), N-phenyl-1-naphthylene (NPN), ruthenium red, cresol violet, and 4-(dicyanovinyl)julolidine (DCVJ).

32. The method of claim 28, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).
33. The method of claim 26, wherein said katanin p60 subunit is recombinant.
34. The method of claim 26, wherein said katanin p60 subunit has the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.
35. The method of claim 26, wherein said method is performed in an array, wherein said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures.
36. The method of claim 35, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.
37. The method of claim 35, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.
38. The method of claim 26, further comprising step d) listing the test agents that alter at least one of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing into a database.
39. A method of screening for a test agent that alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing, said method comprising: a) providing: i) labeled tubulin, ii) an isolated katanin p60 subunit, and iii) a test agent; b) contacting said labeled tubulin with said isolated katanin p60 subunit and with said test agent to produce contacted tubulin; and c) comparing the fluorescence intensity or pattern of said contacted tubulin with the fluorescence intensity or pattern of labeled tubulin that is not contacted with said polypeptide and said test agent, wherein a difference in fluorescence pattern or intensity between the contacted and the not contacted tubulin indicates that said test agent alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing.
40. The method of claim 39, wherein said labeled tubulin is in at least one form selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, tubulin dimers, and tubulin oligomers.
41. The method of claim 39, wherein said labeled tubulin is in the form of a microtubule.
42. The method of claim 41, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid surface.
43. The method of claim 42, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with a molecule selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), a polyarginine, a polyhistidine, and a polylysine.
44. The method of claim 41, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is selected from the group consisting of 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI), anilinonaphthalene sulfonate (ANS), bis-ANS (Bis-anilinonaphthalene sulfonate), N-phenyl-1-naphthylene (NPN), ruthenium red, cresol violet, and 4-(dicyanovinyl)julolidine (DCVJ).

45. The method of claim 41, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).

46. The method of claim 39, wherein said katanin p60 subunit is recombinant.

47. The method of claim 39, wherein said katanin p60 subunit has the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

48. The method of claim 39, wherein said method is performed in an array, wherein said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures.

49. The method of claim 48, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

50. The method of claim 48, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

51. The method of claim 39, further comprising step d) listing the test agents that alter at least one of microtubule polymerization, microtubule depolymerization, and microtubule severing into a database.

52. A method of screening for a test agent that alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization, said method comprising: a) providing labeled tubulin; b) contacting said labeled tubulin with said test agent to produce contacted tubulin; and c) comparing the fluorescence intensity or pattern of said contacted tubulin with the fluorescence intensity or pattern of labeled tubulin that is not contacted with said test agent wherein a difference in fluorescence pattern or intensity between the contacted and the not contacted tubulin indicates that said test agent alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization.

53. The method of claim 52, wherein said labeled tubulin is in at least one form selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, tubulin dimers, and tubulin oligomers.

54. The method of claim 52, wherein said labeled tubulin is in the form of a microtubule.

55. The method of claim 54, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid surface.

56. The method of claim 54, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is selected from the group consisting of 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI), anilidonapthalene sulfonate (ANS), bis-ANS (Bis-anilidonapthalene sulfonate), N-phenyl-1-naphthylene (NPN), ruthenium red, cresol violet, and 4-(dicyanovinyl)julolidine (DCVJ).

57. The method of claim 56, wherein said label is 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).

58. The method of claim 55, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with an agent selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), a polyarginine, a polyhistidine, and a polylysine.

59. A method of screening for a test agent that alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization, said method comprising: a) providing: i) labeled tubulin, ii) a microtubule depolymerizing protein, and iii) a test agent; b) contacting said tubulin with said microtubule depolymerizing protein and with said test agent to produce contacted tubulin; and c) comparing the fluorescence intensity or pattern of said contacted tubulin with the fluorescence intensity or pattern of labeled tubulin that is not contacted with said test agent, wherein a difference in fluorescence pattern or intensity between the contacted and the not contacted tubulin indicates that said test agent alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization.

60. The method of claim 59, wherein said microtubule depolymerizing protein comprises a *Xenopus* kinesin central motor 1 (XKCM1) polypeptide.

61. The method of claim 52, wherein said method is performed in an array where said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures, and wherein said steps are performed in each reaction mixture.

62. The method of claim 61, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

63. The method of claim 61, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

64. The method of claim 61, wherein said test agent comprises a plurality of test agents and wherein each reaction mixture comprises one test agent of said plurality of test agents.

65. The method of claim 52, further comprising listing the test agents that alter at least one of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization into a database of therapeutic lead compounds that act on the cytoskeletal system.

66. The method of claim 59, wherein said labeled tubulin is in at least one form selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, tubulin dimers, and tubulin oligomers.

67. The method of claim 59, wherein said labeled tubulin is in the form of a microtubule.

68. The method of claim 67, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid surface.

69. The method of claim 67, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is selected from the group consisting of 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI), anilinonaphthalene sulfonate (ANS), bis-ANS (Bis-anilinonaphthalene sulfonate), N-phenyl-1-naphthylene (NPN), ruthenium red, cresol violet, and 4-(dicyanovinyl)julolidine (DCVJ).

70. The method of claim 69, wherein said label is 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).

71. The method of claim 68, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with an agent selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), a polyarginine, a

polyhistidine, and a polylysine.

72. The method of claim 59, wherein said method is performed in an array, wherein said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures, and wherein said steps are performed in each reaction mixture.

73. The method of claim 72, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

74. The method of claim 72, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

75. The method of claim 72, wherein said test agent comprises a plurality of test agents, and wherein each reaction mixture comprises one test agent of said plurality of test agents.

76. The method of claim 59, further comprising listing the test agents that alter at least one of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization into a database of therapeutic lead compounds that act on the cytoskeletal system.

77. The method of claim 59, wherein said microtubule depolymerizing protein is a Xenopus kinesin central motor 1 (XKCM1) polypeptide.

78. A method of screening for a test agent that alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization, said method comprising: a) providing: i) labeled tubulin; ii) a microtubule depolymerizing protein comprising a stathmin polypeptide, and iii) a test agent; b) contacting said labeled tubulin with said microtubule depolymerizing protein and with said test agent to produce contacted tubulin; and c) comparing the fluorescence intensity or pattern of said contacted tubulin with the fluorescence intensity or pattern of labeled tubulin that is not contacted with said test agent, wherein a difference in fluorescence pattern or intensity between the contacted and the not contacted tubulin indicates that said test agent alters at least one activity selected from the group consisting of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization.

79. The method of claim 78, wherein said method is performed in an array where said array comprises a multiplicity of reaction mixtures, and wherein said steps are performed in each reaction mixture.

80. The method of claim 79, wherein said array comprises a microtitre plate.

81. The method of claim 79, wherein said array comprises at least 48 of said reaction mixtures.

82. The method of claim 79, wherein said test agent comprises a plurality of test agents and wherein each reaction mixture comprises one test agent of said plurality of test agents.

83. The method of claim 78, further comprising listing the test agents that alter at least one of microtubule polymerization and depolymerization into a database of therapeutic lead compounds that act on the cytoskeletal system.

84. The method of claim 78, wherein said labeled tubulin is in at least one form selected from the group consisting of tubulin monomers, tubulin dimers, and tubulin oligomers.

85. The method of claim 78, wherein said labeled tubulin is in the form of a microtubule.

86. The method of claim 85, wherein said microtubule is attached to a solid surface.

87. The method of claim 85, wherein the label of said labeled tubulin is selected from the group consisting of 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI), anilinonapthalene sulfonate (ANS), bis-ANS (Bis-anilinonapthalene sulfonate), N-phenyl-1-naphthylene (NPN), ruthernium red, cresol violet, and 4-(dicyanovinyl)julolidine (DCVJ).

88. The method of claim 87, wherein said label is 4'-6-diamidino-2-phenylindole (DAPI).

89. The method of claim 86, wherein said microtubule is attached to said surface by binding with an agent selected from the group consisting of an inactivated microtubule motor protein, an avidin-biotin linkage, an anti-tubulin antibody, a microtubule binding protein (MAP), a polyarginine, a polyhistidine, and a polylysine.

90. The method of claim 78, wherein said microtubule depolymerizing protein is a stathmin polypeptide.

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ABSTRACT:

The present invention features methods for purifying polypeptides of interest using a modified Fluorescein arsenical helix binder (FlAsH) compound immobilized on a solid support. An exemplary FlAsH target sequence motif is also presented. Examples of modification of the FlAsH compound which allow immobilization to a solid support are also provided. The present invention also provides DNA constructs for producing a dual affinity tagged polypeptide and methods for purification thereof.

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION(S)

[0001] This application claims priority under 35 USC 119(e)(1) to U.S. Provisional Patent application Ser. No. 60/178,054, filed on Jan. 24, 2000, incorporated herein in its entirety.

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REPRESENTATIVE-FIGURES: NONE

ABSTRACT:

This invention provides methods for the screening and identification of agents

having potent effects on the progression of the cell cycle. In one embodiment, the methods involve contacting a polymerized microtubule with a microtubule severing protein or a microtubule depolymerizing protein in the presence of an ATP or a GTP and a test agent; and (ii) detecting the formation of tubulin monomers, dimers or oligomers. The p60 subunit of katanin provides a particularly preferred microtubule severing protein possessing both ATPase and microtubule severing activities.

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. .sctn. 119(e) of provisional patent U.S. Ser. No. 60/081,734, filed on Apr. 14, 1998, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety for all purposes.

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ABSTRACT:

This invention provides methods for the screening and identification of agents having potent effects on the progression of the cell cycle. In one embodiment, the methods involve contacting a polymerized microtubule with a microtubule severing protein or a microtubule depolymerizing protein in the presence of an ATP or a GTP and a test agent; and (ii) detecting the formation of tubulin monomers, dimers or oligomers. The p60 subunit of katanin provides a particularly preferred microtubule severing protein possessing both ATPase and microtubule severing activities.

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

[0001] This application claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. .sctn.119(e) of provisional patent U.S.SNo. 60/081,734, filed on Apr. 14, 1998, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety for all purposes.

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This invention provides methods for the screening and identification of agents having potent effects on the progression of the cell cycle. In one embodiment, the methods involve contacting a polymerized microtubule with a microtubule severing protein or a microtubule depolymerizing protein in the presence of an ATP or a GTP and a test agent; and (ii) detecting the formation of tubulin monomers, dimers or oligomers. The p60 subunit of katanin provides a particularly preferred microtubule severing protein possessing both ATPase and microtubule severing activities.

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The present invention features methods for purifying polypeptides of interest using a modified Fluorescein arsenical helix binder (FlAsH) compound immobilized on a solid support. An exemplary FlAsH target sequence motif is also presented. Examples of modification of the FlAsH compound which allow immobilization to a solid support are also provided. The present invention also provides DNA constructs for producing a dual affinity tagged polypeptide and methods for purification thereof.

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ART-UNIT: 2183

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ATTY-AGENT-FIRM: Sadler; Lloyd W.

ABSTRACT:

A new drill insert product and the method of making the same are provided. This invention makes use of a multi-metal region bonded to the top (cutting) surface of a superabrasive layer to improve drill life, decrease the propensity for delamination and to avoid crack initiation sites in the drill insert product. This invention makes use of an inner can top composed essentially of niobium, which, under the compression pressure of an ultra high pressure press, bonds to a molybdenum disk, thereby providing improved tensile strength, abrasion resistance, bonding strength, as well as improved control over the cutting surface flatness. By using the inner can top, this invention improves process efficiency, while reducing manufacturing complexity and waste.

7 Claims, 3 Drawing figures

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ABSTRACT:

The present invention is an apparatus tuning and adjusting pianos. It maybe attached to the existing hammer shank and simulates a piano hammer. The present invention's dimensions and angles are adjustable. As the present invention is moved into strike position on the hammer shank, the multiple adjustments allow the piano technician to measure the characteristics needed to achieve the optimal strike point of the string. These measurements can then be used to correctly install the piano hammer and tune the piano.

11 Claims, 6 Drawing figures

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This invention provides assays for agents that modulate (e.g. upregulate, downregulate or completely inhibit) microtubule depolymerizing or microtubule severing proteins. Such agents will have profound effects on progression of the cell cycle and act as potent anti-mitotic agents. The microtubule severing protein or microtubule depolymerizing protein is preferably a katanin, a p60 subunit of a katanin, an XKCM 1, or an OP18 polypeptide.

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This invention provides methods for the screening and identification of agents having potent effects on the progression of the cell cycle. In one embodiment, the methods involve contacting a polymerized microtubule with a microtubule severing protein or a microtubule depolymerizing protein in the presence of an ATP or a GTP and a test agent; and detecting the formation of tubulin monomers, dimers or oligomers. The p60 subunit of katanin provides a particularly preferred microtubule severing protein possessing both ATPase and microtubule severing activities.

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ABSTRACT:

This invention provides methods for the screening and identification of agents having potent effects on the progression of the cell cycle. In one embodiment, the methods involve contacting a polymerized microtubule with a microtubule severing protein or a microtubule depolymerizing protein in the presence of an ATP or a GTP and a test agent; and detecting the formation of tubulin monomers, dimers or oligomers. The p60 subunit of katanin provides a particularly preferred microtubule severing protein possessing both ATPase and microtubule severing activities.

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ABSTRACT:

The system eliminates the noise, rumble and hiss from any standard 35 mm analog optical sound track. By simply feeding the film through the projector sound head in a normal manner the system automatically converts the analog optical sound tracks to digital quality. No special storing of digital data on film is required and no special digital decoder equipment is needed. The system produces noise-free sound, increased frequency response, expanded dynamic range and clarity of the dialogue. Film studios will no longer need to carry a double inventory of films having digital and analog sound tracks or to process the sound tracks for noise reduction.

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ABSTRACT:

A hammer shaping tool is designed with two parts: a piano hammer template and a sanding strip. The template's face surface is a mirror of an desirably shaped piano hammer with side walls forming a channel along the face surface of the template. The width of the face surface, and consequently the channel, is generally the same as the width of the striking edge of the hammers. The sanding strip likewise has the same width as the striking edge of the hammers. The sanding strip is placed, cutting side against the hammer, on the striking edge of the hammer. The template is then placed against the low friction side of the sanding strip and a portion of

the hammer. The sanding strip is pulled through the template channel, the low friction side of the sanding strip sliding against the face surface of the template, and the cutting surface of the sanding strip engaging the surface face of the piano hammer, cutting the hammer facing surface to the desired shape. The strip and guide can then be placed on another portion of the hammer and the process repeated, eventually shaping the entire hammer. The amount of pressure exerted on the tool against the hammer shoulders in conjunction with the sandpaper grit size dictates the amount of felt removed from the hammer.

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FIELD-OF-CLASSIFICATION-SEARCH: 381/88, 381/89, 381/90, 381/186, 381/188, 381/205, 181/144, 181/148, 181/153

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<u>4179585</u>	December 1979	Herrenschmidt	381/90
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<u>4673057</u>	June 1987	Glassco	181/144
<u>4837826</u>	June 1989	Schupbach	381/90

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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0224998	December 1984	JP	381/186

ART-UNIT: 261

PRIMARY-EXAMINER: Ng; Jin F.

ASSISTANT-EXAMINER: Chan; Jason

ATTY-AGENT-FIRM: Logan, II; Charles C.

ABSTRACT:

An arrangement of divergently mounted acoustic transducers in a hemispherical air tight enclosure, the enclosure being sized with regard to the loading requirements of the acoustic transducers to produce a small size speaker system having an omnidirectional sound radiation pattern and a flat frequency response without the need of a crossover network. The hemispherical enclosure being comprised of six flat equal sided pentagonal plates, five triangular shaped flat gussets and a flat base plate all of which when assembled forms a half dodecahedron polyhedron shaped enclosure with a closed base, with the base serving as the enclosure mounting surface.

4 Claims, 1 Drawing figures

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☐ 14. Document ID: US 3853034 A

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File: USPT

Dec 10, 1974

US-PAT-NO: 3853034

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 3853034 A

TITLE: BRASS MUSICAL INSTRUMENT PRACTICE DEVICE

DATE-ISSUED: December 10, 1974

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
<u>Vale; Raymond J.</u>	San Antonio	TX	78240	

APPL-NO: 05/418780 [PALM]

DATE FILED: November 23, 1973

INT-CL-ISSUED: [] G09 b 15/06

US-CL-ISSUED: 84/465

US-CL-CURRENT: 84/465

FIELD-OF-CLASSIFICATION-SEARCH: 84/465, 84/400, 84/401, 84/387, 84/388, 84/330
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<u>1435173</u>	November 1922	Pappalardi	84/400
<u>1467422</u>	September 1923	D'Alfonso	84/400
<u>3392619</u>	July 1968	Hill	84/400

ART-UNIT: 214

PRIMARY-EXAMINER: Wilkinson; Richard B.

ASSISTANT-EXAMINER: Gonzales; John F.

ABSTRACT:

A brass instrument practice device in which a tubing of the device can be pulled outwardly so to extend and increase the tubular length, thereby increasing the interior air column and volume, and whereby extending the tubing, adding additional slides or changing the slides with longer sliding tubes, these tubular adjustments coupled with adjustable resistance pressure valve can simulate any tubular response.

3 Claims, 4 Drawing figures

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☐ 15. Document ID: US 3659489 A

L4: Entry 15 of 19

File: USPT

May 2, 1972

US-PAT-NO: 3659489

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 3659489 A

TITLE: BRASS-INSTRUMENT-PRACTICE DEVICE

DATE-ISSUED: May 2, 1972

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
<u>Vale; Raymond J.</u>	San Antonio	TX	78240	

APPL-NO: 05/071157 [PALM]

DATE FILED: September 10, 1970

INT-CL-ISSUED: [] G09 b 15/06

US-CL-ISSUED: 84/465; 84/453

US-CL-CURRENT: 84/465; 84/453, 984/135, 984/DIG.1

FIELD-OF-CLASSIFICATION-SEARCH: 84/330, 84/383, 84/387, 84/398, 84/399, 84/400, 84/453, 84/465, 131/230, 46/178

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<u>1763336</u>	June 1930	Wilder	84/387
<u>2515411</u>	July 1950	La Velle	84/398

ART-UNIT: 282

PRIMARY-EXAMINER: Wilkinson; Richard B.

ASSISTANT-EXAMINER: Gonzales; John F.

ABSTRACT:

A resonator chamber attachable to a brass instrument mouthpiece so as to buffer the buzzing sound produced by the brass instrument mouthpiece, the device comprising a barrel which is a singular part of generally bowl-shape with a central chamber that opens out upon one end of the barrel, the inner end of the chamber communicating with the terminal end of the brass instrument mouthpiece.

1 Claims, 3 Drawing figures

Full	Title	Citation	Front	Review	Classification	Date	Reference	Claims	KWIC	Drawings
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☐ 16. Document ID: US 2368952 A

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File: USPT

Feb 6, 1945

US-PAT-NO: 2368952

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 2368952 A

TITLE: Collapsible tube and supporting bracket therefor [TEXT AVAILABLE IN USOCR DATABASE]

DATE-ISSUED: February 6, 1945

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
VALE RUBY R				

US-CL-CURRENT: 222/100

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File: USPT

Jun 13, 1922

US-PAT-NO: 1419329

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 1419329 A

TITLE: Vehicle wheel [TEXT AVAILABLE IN USOCR DATABASE]

DATE-ISSUED: June 13, 1922

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
VALE RUBY R				

US-CL-CURRENT: 152/375; 152/159, 301/40.3

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☐ 18. Document ID: US 1382031 A

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File: USPT

Jun 21, 1921

US-PAT-NO: 1382031

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 1382031 A

TITLE: Automobile-wheel [TEXT AVAILABLE IN USOCR DATABASE]

DATE-ISSUED: June 21, 1921

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
VALE RUBY R				

US-CL-CURRENT: 301/64.303

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☐ 19. Document ID: US 1335469 A

L4: Entry 19 of 19

File: USPT

Mar 30, 1920

US-PAT-NO: 1335469

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 1335469 A

TITLE: Pneumatic vehicle-tire [TEXT AVAILABLE IN USOCR DATABASE]

DATE-ISSUED: March 30, 1920

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
VALE RUBY R				

US-CL-CURRENT: 152/166; 152/160, 152/209.1, 152/396, 152/399, 152/454, 152/511,
152/523, 152/902, 301/40.3

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 AUTHOR(S): KIBAK H [Reprint author]; TAIZ L; STARKE T; BERNASCONI P;
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 CORPORATE SOURCE: DEP MOL CELL BIOL, UNIV CONN, STORRS, CONN 06269, USA
 SOURCE: Journal of Bioenergetics and Biomembranes, (1992) Vol. 24,
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Article
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AB Proton pumping ATPases/ATPsynthases are found in all groups of
 present-day organisms. The structure of V- and F-type ATPases
 /ATP synthases is very conserved throughout evolution. Sequence
 analysis shows that the V- and F-type ATPases evolved from the
 same enzyme already present in the last common ancestor of all known
 extant life forms. The catalytic and noncatalytic subunits found in the
 dissociable head groups of the V/F-type ATPases are paralogous
 subunits, i.e., these two types of subunits evolved from a
 common ancestral gene. The gene duplication giving rise to these two
 genes (i.e., encoding the catalytic and noncatalytic subunits) predates
 the time of the last common ancestor. Mapping of gene duplication events
 that occurred in the evolution of the proteolipid, the noncatalytic and
 the catalytic subunits, onto the tree of life leads to a prediction for
 the likely subunit structure of the encoded ATPases. A
 correlation between structure from this correlation of the bioenergetics
 operative in proto-eukaryotes and in the last common ancestor are

presented. The similarities of the V/F-ATPase subunits to an V/F-ATPase-like protein that was implicated to play a role in flagellar assembly are evaluated. Different V-ATPase isoforms have been detected in some higher eukaryotes. These data are analyzed with respect to the possible function of the different isoforms (tissue specific, organelle specific) and with respect to the point in their evolution when these gene duplications giving rise to the isoforms had occurred, i.e., how far these isoforms are distributed.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199294136705; BA94:136705
TITLE: STRUCTURAL CONSERVATION AND FUNCTIONAL DIVERSITY OF V ATPASES.
AUTHOR(S): NELSON N [Reprint author]
CORPORATE SOURCE: ROCHE INST MOL BIOL, ROCHE RES CENT, NUTLEY, NJ 07110, USA
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AB The vacuolar system of eukaryotic cells contains a large number of organelles that are primary energized by an H⁺-ATPase that was named V-ATPase. The structure and function of V-ATPases from various sources was extensively studied in the last few years. Several genes encoding subunits of the enzyme were cloned and sequenced. The sequence information revealed the relations between V-ATPases and F-ATPases that evolved from common ancestral genes. The two families of proton pumps share structural and functional similarity. They contain distinct peripheral catalytic sectors and hydrophobic membrane sectors. Genes encoding subunits of V-ATPase in yeast cells were interrupted to yield mutants that are devoid of the enzyme and are sensitive to pH and calcium concentrations in the medium. The mutants were used to study structure, function, molecular biology, and biogenesis of the V-ATPase. They also shed light on the functional assembly of the enzyme in the vacuolar system.

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AB Recent work has focused on obtaining a better understanding of the three-dimensional structural relationships between the alpha and beta subunits of the F1 moiety and the location of nucleotide binding domains within these subunits. Four types of approach are currently being pursued: X-ray crystallographic, chemical, molecular biological and biochemical. Here we briefly review some of the major conclusions of these studies, and point out some of the problems that must be resolved before an adequate model that relates structure to function in the ATP synthase molecule can be formulated.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 123:136585
TITLE: A 200-amino acid ATPase module in search of a basic function
AUTHOR(S): Confalonieri, Fabrice; Duguet, Michel
CORPORATE SOURCE: Institut de Genetique et Microbiologie, Universite Paris Sud, Orsay, 91405, Fr.
SOURCE: BioEssays (1995), 17(7), 639-50
CODEN: BIOEEJ; ISSN: 0265-9247
PUBLISHER: Company of Biologists
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English

AB A review, with 78 refs. A fast growing family of ATPases has recently been highlighted. It was named the AAA family, for ATPases Associated to a variety of cellular Activities. The key feature of the family is a highly conserved module of 230 amino acids present in one or two copies in each protein. Despite extensive sequence conservation, the members of the family fulfill a large diversity of cellular functions: cell cycle regulation, gene expression in yeast and HIV, vesicle-mediated transport, peroxisome assembly, 26S protease function etc. In addition, several members of this family can be found in the same organism (up to 17 in *S. cerevisiae*). The contrast between functional diversity and structural conservation of the module, from archaeobacteria to mammals, suggests that it plays an essential, but as yet unknown, role at key points of the cellular machinery. Two (non-exclusive) such possibilities are: (1) ATP-dependent proteasome function and (2) ATP-dependent anchorage of proteins. Finally, the basic biochem. activity of the AAA module is still a matter of speculation, and the authors propose that it acts as an ATP-dependent protein clamp.

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TITLE: Kinesin and myosin ATPases: variations on a theme
AUTHOR(S): Hackney, David D.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biol. Sci., Carnegie Mellon Univ., Pittsburgh, PA, 15213, USA
SOURCE: Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society of London, Series B: Biological Sciences (1992), 336(1276), 13-18
CODEN: PTRBAE; ISSN: 0080-4622
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
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AB A review with 23 refs. The enzymes kinesin and myosin are examples of mol. motors which couple ATP hydrolysis to directed movement of biol. structures. Myosin has been extensively studied, and its structure and mechanism of coupling are known in detail. Much less is known about kinesin, but many of its major properties are similar to those of myosin. Both enzymes have 2 catalytic head groups at the end of a long α -helical rod. The head groups contain the sites for ATP hydrolysis and interaction with their resp. partners for movement (microtubules or F-actin). In each case the binding and hydrolysis of ATP is rapid and the steady state ATPase rate is limited by a slow step in the region of product release. This slow release of product is accelerated by interaction with actin or microtubules coupled to changes in binding affinity. As there is no evidence for a close evolutionary link between kinesin and myosin, these and other similarities may represent convergence to set of common functional properties which are constrained by the requirements of protein structure and the use of ATP hydrolysis as a source of energy. It will be of particular interest to determine if these common properties are also shared by the large number of divergent proteins which have recently been discovered to possess a domain which is homologous to the head group of kinesin.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 110:208181
TITLE: Enzymes for microtubule-dependent motility
AUTHOR(S): McIntosh, J. Richard; Porter, Mary E.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Mol. Cell. Dev. Biol., Univ. Colorado, Boulder, CO, 80309, USA
SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (1989), 264(11), 6001-4
CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English
AB A review and discussion with 58 refs., of recent studies of dynein and kinesin ATPases and the roles those enzymes may play in cell motility.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1989:627624 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 111:227624
TITLE: The role of dynein and other microtubule-activated ATPases in mitosis
AUTHOR(S): Vallee, Richard B.; Shpetner, Howard S.; Paschal, Bryce M.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Cell Biol. Group, Worcester Found. Exp. Biol., Shrewsbury, MA, 01545, USA
SOURCE: Progress in Clinical and Biological Research (1989), 318(Mech. Chromosome Distrib. Aneuploidy), 205-15
CODEN: PCBRD2; ISSN: 0361-7742
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English

AB A review, with 20 refs., on the identification and characterization of cytoplasmic dynein and a 100-kDa ATPase which may be involved in microtubule-microtubule interaction. The function of these 2 proteins in mitosis are discussed.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006003444 EMBASE
TITLE: Plasmid segregation mechanisms.
AUTHOR: Ebersbach G.; Gerdes K.
CORPORATE SOURCE: G. Ebersbach, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Southern Denmark, DK-5230 Odense M, Denmark
SOURCE: Annual Review of Genetics, (2005) Vol. 39, pp. 453-479. .
Refs: 150
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AB Bacterial plasmids encode partitioning (par) loci that ensure ordered plasmid segregation prior to cell division. par loci come in two types: those that encode actin-like ATPases and those that encode deviant Walker-type ATPases. ParM, the actin-like ATPase of plasmid R1, forms dynamic filaments that segregate plasmids paired at mid-cell to daughter cells. Like microtubules, ParM filaments exhibit dynamic instability (i.e., catastrophic decay) whose regulation is an important component of the DNA segregation process. The Walker box ParA ATPases are related to MinD and form highly dynamic, oscillating filaments that are required for the subcellular movement and positioning of plasmids. The role of the observed ATPase oscillation is not yet understood. However, we propose a simple model that couples plasmid segregation to ParA oscillation. The model is consistent with the observed movement and localization patterns of plasmid foci and does not require the involvement of plasmid-specific host-encoded factors.

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TITLE: Dynein: an ancient motor protein involved in multiple modes of transport
AUTHOR(S): Vallee, Richard B.; Williams, John C.; Varma, Dileep; Barnhart, Lora E.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Pathology and Anatomy and Cell Biology, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, New York, NY, 10032, USA
SOURCE: Journal of Neurobiology (2004), 58(2), 189-200
CODEN: JNEUBZ; ISSN: 0022-3034
PUBLISHER: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English

AB A review. The dyneins represent 1 of 2 families of known microtubule motor proteins, and produce force toward the minus ends of microtubules. All forms of dynein contain as their largest subunit a heavy chain (HC) polypeptide of >500 kDa mol. weight, which is responsible for the ATPase and motor activities. The dynein motor domain represents a substantial portion of the HC, the C-terminal 350 kDa, and its large size results from the multiplicity of ATPase units and other structures it contains. It appears to have had its evolutionary origin in the AAA family of ATPases. The arrangement pattern of ATPase units is absolutely conserved in all dynein HCs from algae to vertebrates, and from axonemal to cytoplasmic forms of dynein, and suggests that the dyneins diverged from the rest of the AAA family very long ago. Cytoplasmic dynein has long been thought to be responsible for retrograde axonal transport. As the number of cellular roles for this multifunctional protein has expanded, the complexity of its contribution to axonal transport has increased. Here, the increasing evidence for a role for cytoplasmic dynein in anterograde as well as retrograde transport is discussed. The current status of the complex dynein cargo-binding mechanism is evaluated. Finally, recent genetic evidence supporting a role in axonal transport and revealing a role in neurodegenerative conditions is reviewed.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:70600
TITLE: Design and regulation of the AAA+ microtubule motor dynein
AUTHOR(S): Sakato, Miho; King, Stephen M.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biochemistry, University of Connecticut Health Center, Farmington, CT, 06030-3305, USA
SOURCE: Journal of Structural Biology (2004), 146(1/2), 58-71
CODEN: JSBIEM; ISSN: 1047-8477
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
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AB A review. Dyneins are highly complex mol. motors that transport their attached cargo towards the minus end of microtubules. These enzymes are required for many essential motile activities within the cytoplasm and also power eukaryotic cilia and flagella. Each dynein contains one or more heavy chain motor units that consist of an N-terminal stem domain that is involved in cargo attachment, and six AAA+ domains (AAA1-6) plus a C-terminal globular segment that are arranged in a heptameric ring. At least one AAA+ domain (AAA1) is capable of ATP binding and hydrolysis, and the available data suggest that one or more addnl. domains also may bind

nucleotide. The ATP-sensitive microtubule binding site is located at the tip of a 10 nm coiled coil stalk that emanates from between AAA4 and AAA5. The function of this motor both in the cytoplasm and the flagellum must be tightly regulated in order to result in useful work. Consequently, dyneins also contain a series of addnl. components that serve to define the cargo-binding properties of the enzyme and which act as sensors to transmit regulatory inputs to the motor units. Here we describe the two basic dynein designs and detail the various regulatory systems that impinge on this motor within the eukaryotic flagellum.

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TITLE: RecA-like motor ATPases - Lessons from structures.
AUTHOR: Ye J.; Osborne A.R.; Groll M.; Rapoport T.A.
CORPORATE SOURCE: T.A. Rapoport, Department of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, HHMI, 240 Longwood Ave., L., Boston, MA, United States. tom_rapoport@hms.harvard.edu
SOURCE: Biochimica et Biophysica Acta - Bioenergetics, (4 Nov 2004) Vol. 1659, No. 1, pp. 1-18. .
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AB A large class of ATPases contains a RecA-like structural domain and uses the energy of nucleotide binding and hydrolysis to perform mechanical work, for example, to move polypeptides or nucleic acids. These ATPases include helicases, ABC transporters, clamp loaders, and proteases. The functional units of the ATPases contain different numbers of RecA-like domains, but the nucleotide is always bound at the interface between two adjacent RecA-like folds and the two domains move relative to one another during the ATPase cycle. The structures determined for different RecA-like motor ATPases begin to reveal how they move macromolecules. .COPYRG. 2004 Elsevier B.V. All rights reserved.

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TITLE: The kin I kinesins are microtubule end-stimulated ATPases
AUTHOR(S): Walczak, Claire E.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical Sciences, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN, 47405, USA
SOURCE: Molecular Cell (2003), 11(2), 286-288
CODEN: MOCEFL; ISSN: 1097-2765
PUBLISHER: Cell Press
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
LANGUAGE: English

AB A review of the study by Hunter et al. (2003), which showed that the kin I MCAK is a microtubule (MT) end-stimulated ATPase that can catalytically depolymerize MTs.

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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:306729
 TITLE: AAA domains and organization of the dynein motor unit
 AUTHOR(S): King, Stephen M.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biochemistry, University of Connecticut
 Health Center, Farmington, CT, 06032-3305, USA
 SOURCE: Journal of Cell Science (2000), 113(14), 2521-2526
 CODEN: JNCSAI; ISSN: 0021-9533
 PUBLISHER: Company of Biologists Ltd.
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review
 LANGUAGE: English

AB A review with 47 refs. Dyneins contain one-three microtubule motor units that are each derived from the C-terminal globular head of a heavy chain. The N-terminal regions of the heavy chains form stems that are required for intra-dynein assocns. The microtubule-binding sites are located at the terminus of a short stalk that emanates from each globular head. Recent electron microscopic anal. indicates that the dynein head has a heptameric toroidal organization. This finding is echoed by the identification of six AAA (ATPases associated with cellular activities) domains and a seventh unrelated unit within this heavy chain region. At least two of these AAA domains can bind nucleotide, although only one appears able to hydrolyze ATP. Several other AAA domain proteins exhibit a similar annular organization of six AAA units. Detailed structural information is available for several AAA proteins, including N-ethylmaleimide-sensitive vesicle-fusion protein and the RuvB motor involved in DNA migration and resolution of Holliday junctions. The resulting structural parallels allow intriguing predictions to be made concerning dynein organization and motor function.

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